Welcome To The DU Family!



Dance Unlimited & Spotlight Acting Academy 2021-2022

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We're so excited that you have joined this year with us & we can't wait to share this experience with you! Children and parents choose Dance Unlimited for various reasons. Some enjoy dance simply for the fun of it - it is exhilarating and so rewarding! Also, others see it as an avenue to build self-esteem and poise, as a means of expression of imagination and creativity, or as a route towards socialization and friendships.

Whatever your reason, you'll find it at Dance Unlimited.

Dance not only challenges & improves all components of physical fitness, but is emotionally, psychologically, and socially rewarding.

Our classrooms cultivate a student's appreciation of the value of hard work & maintaining self-discipline while learning the importance of respect & loyalty. Dancers not only exercise their body; they challenge their intellect on both a kinesthetic & creative level. We provide a fun, high energy positive environment for all students & provides our students with the tools needed to exceed expectations & excel to their individual fullest potential. We pride ourselves in providing the most skilled & experienced educators in the area who encourage our students to be the best, well-rounded individual they can be.

Whatever your goals, we hope to help you in your progress toward achieving them.

Dance your way to a healthy body and a happy life!

Please Read the Following info:

Tuition/Policies

When you enroll online you will be prompted to accept ALL of the following before you can enroll

TUITION (new) is based on how many hours are taken per week/over a 9 ½ month stretch. Tuition is Auto Drafted on the 1st of every month and considered late BY the 5th of every month.

AFTER the 5th a \$10 late fee will be added. If payment is not received by the 10th of the month, Dance Unlimited reserves the right to draft from the account on file per the signed waiver required to participate in classes. There is a \$15 service charge for all payments that are returned to Dance Unlimited for any reason.

AFTER the 15th of the month, students may not participate until tuition & late fees have been paid.

EACH family is required to have a checking/savings account on file. Tuition is paid either through **ACH draft** or by cash. **DANCE UNLIMITED does NOT accept Checks or Credit Cards.**

THERE is a \$35 non-refundable enrollment fee when enrolling per participant. Families: \$30 per participant.

How to drop a class: In order to stop payments for the upcoming month a <u>drop form must be filled out and handed in at the front desk or emailed NO LATER THAN 3 DAYS PRIOR TO END OF MONTH.</u>

There are no exceptions and no refunds will be issued once tuition has been drafted.

Makeup Classes If you miss your class: There are no refunds or credits given to absences due to illness, injury, or holidays. Students are allowed to makeup all missed classes in alternative classes of any style in their age group.

Refund Information:

1. DU/Spotlight Acting are unable to provide refunds or credits for any classes, lessons, workshops, or performances that are cancelled, and/or are unable to proceed as the result of governmental orders, natural disasters, or pandemic. Virtual lessons will be made available whenever possible if unplanned closures extend past a week.

- 2. Enrollment Fees are NON-Refundable for any of our programs.
- 3. Dropped on or before August 1st, 2021, 100% Tuition refund less \$15 processing fee. Dropped on or before second class, 100% Credit towards any DU/Spotlight Program which must be used within one year from date. Dropped after third class, No refunds or credits will be issued.

Studio Cancellations: Students will be notified prior to the class if it is canceled. Classes may be canceled without prior notice if an emergency occurs. In case of a weather-related closure, we will send an email & post on our social media. Edmond/OKC School closings do not determine DU closings.

Drop-Ins: Students may drop-in to try a class for a small fee. If the student wishes to enroll in class, the drop-in fee will be credited towards enrollment.

NEW INFO:

- 1. DU/Spotlight will comply with all State, County and Local rules about social distancing and sanitation.
- 2. Students, Faculty, Staff and Families should stay home when they are sick.
- 3. DU/Spotlight will no longer provide water from water fountain.
- 4. Dressing Room is currently not available for changing.
- 5. Lockers are currently available for use.
- 6. Hand Sanitizer should be used upon entry into the building.
- 7. Parents are asked to drop and pick up students at building entry door. Seating and tables will not be available.
- 8. Cubbies will not be available for use. Students will take all dance bags with them into dance rooms.
- 9. All classrooms, ballet barres, props have been thoroughly sanitized prior to classes.
- 10. Specific instructions will be emailed to you one week prior to class starting.
- 11. Lobby to remain closed to anyone not enrolled.

Dress Code

JR ALL Levels - 8/11 Year Old

Ballet:

Any style Black or pink leotard, No attached or separate skirts, Pink footed tights (not footless), Capezio or Bloch Pink Ballet shoes, must be leather - Cut drawstrings about 1/2 inch, make a bow, THEN tuck inside of ballet shoe **Preferably Capezio Juliette

NO PANTIES, dance tights serve as your child's "under garment"

Dancers Hair should be in a bun, even short hair will need to be secured out of face

lazz:

Any Style Black leotard, Black tights or leggings, Black Bloch 401L slip-on split sole jazz shoes Hair secured out of face., NO baggy pants for any level

Tap:

Any Style Black leotard and Black tights/leggings, BLACK CAPEZIO or BLOCH leather style shoe is preferred. Must have Tele Tone Taps on bottom

Hair secured out of face.

Hip Hop: Comfortable clothing such as leggings and tank tops, Tennis shoes, NO jeans!

Acro; Tight clothing that will not slip overhead or endanger child while being spotted (leotards, shorts & tank tops)

Bare Feet (no shoes), Hair pulled back and secured out of face

Teen ALL Levels - 11 +

Ballet:

Any Style Black leotard, No skirts (Colored sports bras are not allowed in Ballet Classes, older dancers should wear dance bras that complement their leotard for dance class if they are wearing one)

Pink footed tights (not footless)

Capezio or Bloch Pink Split Sole Ballet shoes, must be leather and elastic must be sewn across ankle.

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Dancers Hair should be in a bun, even short hair will need to be secured out of face.

Jazz:

Any style Black leotard (Teen 4 can wear any style/color), Black leggings or tights
Black Bloch 401L slip-on split sole jazz shoes, preferably cover pink tights if coming from Ballet.
Hair secured out of face. NO baggy pants for any level

Tap:

Any style leotard or tight-fitting tank top, Leggings or Tights
Black Capezio or BLOCH Tic Tac Tap Lace Up Tap Shoes, Hair secured out of face. NO baggy clothes for any level.

Hip Hop: Comfortable clothing such as leggings and tank tops, Tennis shoes, NO jeans!

Acro: Tight clothing that will not slip overhead or endanger child while being spotted (leotards, shorts & tank tops)

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WHERE to buy dance wear: Log into: www.discountdance.com and scroll to bottom to "find my teacher" —
Put in search Dance Unlimited Amy Reed and our studio list will pop up! You can put in our discount code which is: 54842 PLUS: You can shop locally at SHOWBIZ DANCE WEAR

DANCE PRODUCTION INFO

Every year Dance Unlimited presents an amazing year-end production.

There are multiple shows presented. Students who do not wish to participate in the production must let the front desk know BEFORE Oct 1st, 2021.

Costume prices range from \$65-\$95 per costume. Tights \$10/\$12/\$15. Nanny Fee \$10 per child/per Starlette, Jr Level One class. Recital expenses will be divided into two payments. First Payment Due Date: Oct 15th, 2021. Second Payment Due Date: Nov 15th, 2021.

Recital Bundle: \$95 divided in two payments. Bundle includes ONE Production Fee, One Recital T-

shirt, Digital link to all performances. Those that have performances in more than one show will be charged an additional \$30. First Payment Due Date: Oct 15th, 2021. Second Payment Due Date: Nov 15th, 2021.

Production Fees help to cover Auditorium rental, custodian fees, sound tech, Auditorium supervisor, Lights and Light Tech, Fly/Deck Coordinator, Music Licensing, Insurance Protection, Programs, Security, Ticketing Fees, Lobby Rentals, Dressing Room Rental, etc.

Dress rehearsals for the production are mandatory and you will not be allowed to participate in the production if you do not attend dress rehearsal.

Tickets: We do charge admission to our shows. Cost is decided by the facility rented and tickets will be sold online.

Production T-shirts - T-shirts are part of the Bundle. All students will be ordered a Recital T-shirt. Size requests need to be submitted no later than Jan 31st. If a size is not submitted one will be selected for you as follows; A Starlette dancer will be ordered a Child Large, a Junior level dancer will be ordered an Adult Small, and a Teen dancer will be ordered an Adult Medium.

Program Advertising: We offer the chance for you to advertise your business our recital program which reaches over 1,000 audience members each year and you can always submit personal ads for your dancer.

*If the theatre rental, or any of the vendors for the tickets, T-shirts or DVDs increase their prices, fees will be subject to change.

Once you have paid for your costume and production fee it is NON-REFUNDABLE and NON-TRANSFERABLE even if you paid before the FIRST deadline. So be 100% SURE that your child wants to be in the recital!

If you enroll after December 1st, of the current year: dancers can still participate in production, there will be a second order placed for costumes mid to late January. Please note the fee will be higher and costumes are not guaranteed for picture day. There will be no costumes ordered after the second deadline.

Contact Information

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Dance Unlimited & Spotlight Acting Academy pride ourselves on transparent communication with all families and students. Our primary form of communication is email. Please make sure that you're receiving emails from Dance Unlimited, and we are not going into your spam folder. It's also very important to check with the front desk often whenever your contact information changes. We also post everything on our website and our social media platforms daily. Below are links to all of our digital networks. Also, you can add our Google Calendar to your calendar to keep up with everything happening at Dance Unlimited.